

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Keith Kretz
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Art Unit: 1652
Examiner P. Tung



Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821(f) and (g)

Sir:

I hereby state, as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f), that the content of the paper and computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing, submitted in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821(c) and (e), respectively, are the same.

I hereby state, as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.821 (g), that the enclosed submission includes no new matter.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: February 24, 2000

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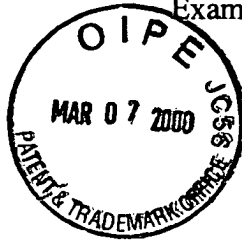
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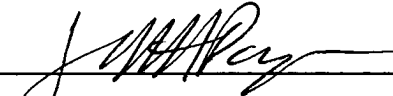
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Sir:

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I further declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of The United States Code, and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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